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SUBJECT: FY 76 IV PROGRAM

REF: STATE 116196

- 1. KOURTIS FLIGHT INFORMATION AS FOLLOWS: DEPARTS THESSALONIKI SEPTEMBER 29 MRA OA 907; DEPARTS ATHENS VIA TWA 881 ARRIVING NEW YORK 1545; DEPARTS NEW YORK 1740 VIA NATIONAL 403 ARRIVING WASHINGTON 1838 SAME DATE
- 2. PLEASE SEND BY CABLE KOURTIS GRANT AUTHORIZATION
- 3. IN ADDITION TO PROGRAM RECOMMENDATIONS OF ATHENS A-77, MAY 24, 1976, POST SUGGESTS THE FOLLOWING:

A. VISIT TO A NEW TOWN (E.G. EX. COLUMBIA, MD OR RESTON, VA)

WITH BRIEFING ON CONTEMPORARY CITY PLERNING IN U.S.

B. VISIT TO SMALLER CITY OR CITIES IN AGRICULTURAL AREA --

PREFERABLY FRUIT PRODUCING -- TO SEE MODERN HARVESTING TECHNIQUES

AND COOPERATIVES' ROLE IN FRUIT PROCESSING.

(FYI: THOROUGH EXPLOITATION OF PEACH CROP IS PROBLEM IN GREECE)

C. KOURTIS IS INVOLVED IN CAMPAIGN TO IMPROVE HOSPITAL

FACILITIES AND SERVICES HERE AND WOULD LIKE TO VISIT MODERN

HOSPITAL AND HAVE BRIEFING ON CURRENT COPERATIONS/PROBLEMS

AND FUTURE PLANNING

D. VISIT TO AN AMERICAN PORT CITY OF COMPARABLE SIZE TO

THESSALONIKI

E. IF SCHEDULE PERMITS, A VISIT TO HISTORIC CENTERS SUCH AS

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WILLIAMSBURG, CHARLESTON, SAVANNAH, NEW ORLEANS, AND

ATTENDANCE AT A SYMPHONIC CONCERT

4. DEPARTMENT SHOULD BE AWARE THAT KOURTIS' ENGLISH IS SHAKY AND INTERPRETER WILL BE REQUIRED FOR SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS KUBISCH

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